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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

DEBORAH J. HITE and JAMES
BARNHART,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

ETHICON INC.; ETHICON LLC;
JOHNSON & JOHNSON; and
BOSTON SCIENTIFIC
CORPORATION,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:19-cv-00660-MMD-WGC

**NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT IN
PRINCIPLE AND STIPULATION
TO STAY PROCEEDINGS**

1 Plaintiffs Deborah Hite and James Barnhart, and Defendants Johnson
2 & Johnson and Ethicon, Inc. (collectively the “parties”) advise the Court that a
3 settlement in principal has been reached in this matter as part of a larger global
4 settlement in principle involving several hundred plaintiffs.

5 It will likely take several months before the settlement of this case
6 will be finalized. The parties jointly stipulate and request that all deadlines and
7 other proceedings in this case be stayed for a period of 120-days, until Wednesday,
8 March 17, 2021 to allow time for the settlement to be concluded, at which point,
9 this case will be dismissed with prejudice.

1 The parties further stipulate to file a joint status report by Friday,
2 March 12, 2021 to inform the Court on the status of the settlement. In the event
3 the global settlement is not finalized, the parties will promptly inform the Court.

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15 **ORDER**

16 IT IS SO ORDERED.



18 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

19 DATED: November 17, 2020